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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

DATA TREASURY CORPORATION.

No.: 2-06CV-72 (DF)

Plaintiff,

MOTION TO SEVER AND STAY

VS.

Case 2:06-cv-00072-DF-CMC

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WELLS FARGO & COMPANY, ET AL.,

Defendants.

# HSBC'S JOINDER IN DOCKET NO. 260, THE MOTION OF DEFENDANTS EDS, HARRIS KEY, PNC, AND SUNTRUST TO SEVER AND STAY THE CLAIMS RELATING TO THE BALLARD PATENTS PENDING REEXAMINATION OF THE BALLARD PATENTS

COMES NOW Defendant HSBC Bank USA, N.A. ("HSBC"), and hereby joins in Docket No. 260, the Motion of Defendants EDS, Harris Key, PNC, and Suntrust to Sever and Stay the Claims Relating to the Ballard Patents Pending Reexamination of the Ballard Patents filed on September 25, 2006.

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### **Certificate of Service**

I certify that a copy of HSBC Bank USA, N.A.'s Motion Joining In Co-Defendants' Motion to Sever and Stay was served on October 19, 2006, to all counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule CV-5(a)(3).

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